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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Christian VAL : Confirmation No. 3796

Application No. 10/562,685 : Group Art Unit:

Filed: December 28, 2005 : Examiner:n/a

For: METHOD FOR INTERCONNECTING ACTIVE AND PASSIVE COMPONENTS, AND A RESULTING THIN HETEROGENEOUS COMPONENT

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated May 10, 2006 for one month from July 10, 2006 to August 10, 2006.

A credit card authorization form to cover the cost of the extension is attached. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No.: 07-1337.

Respectfully submitted,

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